



AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 1774  
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Tetsuro KAWAHARA, *et al.*

Appln. No.: 09/630,777

Group Art Unit: 1774

Confirmation No.: 8005

Examiner: Lawrence D. FERGUSON

Filed: August 2, 2000

Attorney Docket No.: Q60204

For: ARTICLE HAVING PHOTOCATALYTIC ACTIVITY

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2002. Although the present response is entitled Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants are filing herewith a Petition to Withdraw the Finality of Office Action. As stated therein, it is Applicants' position that the Office Action mailed June 6, 2002, was improperly made final. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the present Amendment be treated as an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 3 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claim:

1. An article having photocatalytic activity which comprises a substrate, a first n-type semiconductor film as a primer layer formed over a surface of the substrate, and a photocatalyst

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